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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 14.

As yet the elusive Aguinaldo has not been headed off.

The war in the Philippines has not been settled and may not be for many years.

All talk of a political battle at Frankfort has died out since the last fight.

Several of our Republican friends from this town have been to Frankfort, recently and they all got back in the full belief that Mr. Goebel will be Governor.

Several gentlemen of Columbia who are Republicans in principle and others who voted against the Democratic ticket, have recently returned from Frankfort. They state there is no doubt but Mr. Goebel and the other Democratic candidates will win in the contest.

Last Tuesday evening the people throughout the State received the news of the deadly conflict in our Capital city. The participants being the Hon. D. G. Colson, of Middlesborough, and Ethelbert Scott, of Somerset. After the smoke had cleared away three men were found dead and four others wounded. Scott was killed and two men who were not engaged in the fight, while Colson was shot in the left arm. The fight was the result of bad blood existing between the participants, and while it is unfortunate that such things happen, yet in this tragedy the most appalling feature is the killing accident of two distinguished parties—Messrs. Demerco and Julian, and the wounding of three others. It is claimed that Colson and Scott fired simultaneously, but that has not yet been established. Mr. Colson was arrested and lodged in jail.

Some weeks ago the question as to whether this year was the closing of the 19th century or the beginning of the 20th caused considerable discussion, but now it has ceased to be of interest, and after all the many little debates on the question have been silenced, we have but very few living in the 20th century as they claim. It was quite amusing for some time to hear the arguments and see the mile post marks that were made to prove that Jan. 1900 was the beginning of the twentieth, but facts and figures coincide to upset their theory and but few of the 20th century people can be found. The fact that 100 years complete make a century, therefore 1900 complete years make 19 centuries is a stunner to those who are now as they think, living in a new century. Here's to the band whose living a head of time—we'll join you in the century business next year.

How little Mr. McKinley's promise to furnish any desired information to Congress meant was shown when the Senate, under orders from the White House, voted down Senator Pedigrew's amendment to the Hoar resolution of inquiry, asking that the Senate be

furnished a copy of Mr. McKinley's instructions to the Commissioners who negotiated the treaty of peace with Spain. That information would, there are good reasons to believe, show that there is a contradiction in the policy Mr. McKinley claimed to have when he gave those instructions and that followed by him since the treaty was negotiated, and in order to avoid making a public exhibition of himself by going back on his word, he called on the Republican majority in the Senate to save him and his orders have been obeyed. The Senate has agreed to vote on the Gold Standard bill Feb. 15.

Acting Governor Taylor shows all the signs of an expert in pardoning his friends and political allies. Last week he granted pardon to two of his fellow countrymen before the law had been applied, save in their arrest. Later he pardoned two men from the mountains who had been tried and placed in the work-house, his plea being that they had not received a fair trial. Then, again, he pardoned a Railroad Company for violating the Separate Coach Law in advance of a trial. If methods of this kind are to be instituted, why need we laws or punishment as a penalty for their violation? It is our opinion that some reasonable restriction should be placed on the pardoning power of a Governor. As it is in this matter a Governor has all the right and power of any ruler in any form of Government beyond the dark ages to the present. There should be stronger reasons for taking law breakers out of the custody of local civil authorities than that of personal acquaintance and partisan purposes. The law ought to be supreme in matters pertaining to the action and government of every man of whatever creed or faith, and we see no reason why Mr. Taylor should pardon men guilty of charges under the law before they have been tried nor excuse them from a just sentence after they have been convicted. The action of the Governor in these matters seem to be purely partisan and ought to be condemned by every good citizen regardless of politics.

ROLLINGBURG.

Quite a number of plant beds have been burned this week.

Wheat crops are looking very promising in this section.

Corn is selling at \$2.00 per bbl.

Quite a number of hogs are for sale in this neighborhood.

Mr. J. R. Mitchell a few days ago, sold two cows and calves for \$70.

Mr. Wm. Hood, who has been layed up with la grippe is able to be out again.

Woodie Paxton and Laura Hood attended the Keltner-Baker wedding at Gradyville last Wednesday.

A series of meetings will begin at Bethlehem Sunday night, conducted by Rev. Green, Greensburg and Rev. Dudgeon, Cane Valley.

Rev. W. T. Salmon delivered a very interesting sermon to a large audience at Temperance Sunday.

GRADYVILLE.

The growing crop of wheat in this section is looking well.

Flowers & Diddle are making some improvements on their mill house.

Mr. Squire Kemp has a nice lot of seed oats for sale.

Mr. Geo. Stults is having a nice lot of staves manufactured at this place.

Our people have come to the conclusion that the horse thieves are not all dead.

Prof. Wm. McCaffree is having a lot of saw logs cut preparatory for a new barn on his farm.

Mr. W. L. Grady informed us that he was going to have a large amount of lumber cut for the market during the spring months.

Mr. Stroug Hill is at Edmonton this week looking after his saw mill that he has recently purchased.

Mr. C. S. Bell, Nell, was on our market a few days ago with a bunch of sheep and a cow or two for sale and wanting to buy a nice lot of geese.

Mr. Durham, of Campbellville, spent a day or so with us last week buying cattle at good prices.

Mr. Sam Terry, Hiseville, was in our community last week looking after fancy horses.

Smith & Nell bought a nice bunch of sheep from Mr. E. T. Keltner last week at about \$4.25 per head.

Mr. A. T. Sherrell bought last week of W. W. Yates about 30 acres of land at a fair price. This deal rounds up

New Store at Russell Springs.

The undersigned have just opened up a Dry Goods Store at the above named place. We handle Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware, Saddlery and Harness. We make a specialty of Clothing. We invite your trade.

J. D. VAUGHAN & BRO.

Reduction in Prices.

In order to make room for spring goods, from this time on we shall offer certain lines of winter goods at cost or less. We deal in Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats Caps Mens, Boy's and Children's Clothing, Groceries, Hardware and Harness. We have one lot of

Boy's Hats that We Will Close Out at 10 Cents; Also One Lot of Mens' Mils at 5 Cents. These

goods are worth a great deal more, but we need the room they occupy. Come and see us we have bargains all over our house and remember we will not be undersold. We respectfully invite our friends to call and look through our stock.

Hughes, Coffey & Hunter.

a first-class farm.

Messrs. Smith & Nell spent last week in Cumberland county looking after cattle, hogs and sheep.

Dr. W. L. Turk and wife, of Alabama, who have been visiting in this community have returned home.

Messrs. Robert Young and George Coffey, Columbia, were with us one day last week looking after stock.

Miss Mary Vance, one of our accomplished young ladies, is on an extended visit to Metcalfe county.

We are glad to note that Messrs. J. W. Smith and M. E. Wilmore who have been confined to their rooms for some time are thought to be improving at this time.

Mr. W. R. Lyons, the well-known groceryman, was with us last week informed us that his trade for the present month, was considerably beyond his expectations.

Drs. Taylor and Grissom passed through our town one day last week on their return from Pickett's Mill, where they had been to diagnose a case or two of small-pox. They informed us that there was two or three cases in that community but of a mild form.

Your correspondent was in conversation with Mr. Tom Prevett, the well-known drug-man, of Edmonton, a few days ago and he informed us that our old friend, E. R. Beauchamp, who had the misfortune of losing his storehouse and dwelling a few months ago and received a considerable wound from the effects of the fire was rapidly improving. We understand there will be several handsome houses erected in Edmonton in the near future.

To Cure La Grippe In Two Days—Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25 cents.

GLENFORK.

Mr. J. S. Helm, who was seriously injured while shoeing a horse some time ago is able to be out again.

Collins & Co., dealers in general merchandise, are doing a thriving business.

Dr. S. W. Strange reports the community as distressingly healthy.

Mrs. Ellen Wheat, Mrs. Luther Williams and little daughter, Nellie, were guests at Dr. S. P. Miller's the 16th.

Dr. Kelsay, who has been in Wayne and adjoining counties for some time practicing his profession, has returned home.

Ed Miller, the poultry dealer, returned from Burnside last week. He reports old geese, roosters and ducks dull.

Our old friend, L. T. Neat, was here on business last week. As usual every one was glad to see him and he had a good word for everybody.

The school at this place is being conducted by Miss Fannie Smythe and is well represented, having a daily attendance of 40 pupils. Miss Fannie also taught our public school this fall and had a daily average of 33 pupils. She is an excellent teacher, equaled by few and excelled by none. She has done more to build up an educational interest than any previous teacher.

To prevent La Grippe take a dose of two of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine daily.

JAMESTOWN.

The Strs. Burkville and Burnside are making regular trips on the Cumberland.

A. R. Humble has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Miss Mary Pendleton, Montpelier, Mrs. Purcell and daughter, Grayson county, were visiting Mrs. Ellen Jones last week.

Mr. J. H. Stone and wife, who have been visiting the family W. S. Stone have returned to their home.

Mrs. S. G. Cain, who has been visiting her father A. P. Simpson returned to Pendletonville, Texas, last week accompanied by her sister, Miss Kate Simpson.

Mrs. Texas Rowe passed through this place last Monday en route for Monticello.

A. G. Jones, of this place has accepted a position as clerk on the Str. Burkville.

Miss Rosa Hays will begin a Kindergarten here next Sunday.

Miss Olga Gann took a pleasure trip to Burnside last week.

Messrs. W. R. Lyon, Creed Haskins, Jas. Pelly, P. S. Rowe, of Louisville, and Messrs. Harris and Eaton, Nashville, were here last week.

Mr. W. A. Eastham left for Monticello last week with a new line of samples.

A most enjoyable social was given at the home of Dr. Flanagan last Wednesday evening. There was tripping of the light fantastic. Refreshments were served. The children are loud in the praise of the Dr. and his wife.

Mrs. Emma Falkenberg, Bart, is visiting friends at this place.

Mr. J. N. Meadows, attorney-at-law, has located in town.

Judge Sharp has rented the property of Mr. R. Crisp and has moved his family to J. W. N.

MONTPELIER.

The health of this community is very good.

The wheat crop in this section is looking very well.

Mr. Ernest Grider has moved into his new house.

Mr. Henry Burris, who has been afflicted with heart trouble is some better.

Mr. M. Sloan, of Creelsboro, was in this vicinity a few days ago buying cattle.

The school at this place under the supervision of Eld. Tobias Huffaker is progressing nicely with good attendance.

Prof. Tom Coffey is teaching a singing school at Mt. Zion.

Mr. Marion Antle, our blacksmith is doing a very good business.

The ice houses in this vicinity were filled with good ice during the recent cold spell.

There is a number of small, fat hogs for sale in this part of the country.

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1900 January 1900

SUN.	MON.	TUE.	WED.	THU.	FRI.	SAT.
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31

New Moon, 1-30th. First Quarter, 8th. Full Moon, 15th. Last Quarter, 23d.

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QUARTERLY REPORT
—OF THE—
BANK OF COLUMBIA
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE
30th DAY OF DEC., 1899.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, less	
Loans to Directors.....	\$77,823 46
Loans to Directors (officers not included).....	3,000 01
Loans to Officers.....	500 00
Overdrafts, secured.....	786 14
Overdrafts, unsecured.....	457 32
Due from National Banks.....	\$ 8,133 20
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	22,811 06 25,933 35
Banking house and lot.....	2,000 00
Mortgages.....	18,481 79
Other stocks and bonds.....	35,512 50
Specie.....	7,174 62
Currency.....	4,420 00 11,804 62
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,000 00
Expenses, last quarter.....	1,002 50
	\$178,278 50
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....	\$ 30,000 00
Surplus fund.....	6,000 00
Deposits subject to check, on which interest is not paid.....	140,244 86
Due National Banks.....	561 23
Fund to pay expense last quarter.....	1,022 50
	\$178,278 50

STATE OF KENTUCKY, }
COUNTY OF ADAIR, } ss
Jo Coffey, Cashier of the Bank of Columbia, a bank located and doing business in the town of Columbia, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 30th day of Dec., 1899, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 30th day of Dec., 1899, as the day on which such report shall be made.
Jo Coffey, Cashier.
JAMES GANNETT, Director.
W. W. JONES, Director.
R. F. PAUL, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Jo Coffey the 5th day of Jan., 1900.
W. A. COFFEY, N. P. A. C.
Commission expires January 15, 1900.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Reported by the Louisville Live Stock Exchange, Bourbon Stock Yards.)

CATTLE.	
Extra shipping.....	\$4 00@5 15
Light shipping.....	4 40@4 75
Best butchers.....	4 00@4 60
Fair to good butchers.....	3 25@4 00
Common to medium butchers.....	2 75@3 25

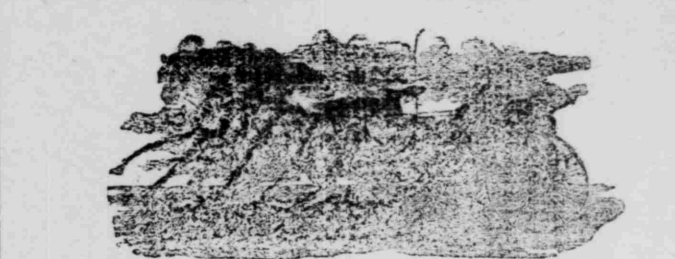
HOGS.	
Choice packing and butchers, 225 to 300 lbs.....	4 50
Fair to good packing, 180 to 200 lbs.....	4 50
Good to extra light, 160 to 180 lbs.....	4 35

SHEEP AND LAMBS.	
Good to extra shipping.....	3 00@3 25
Fair to good.....	2 50@3 00
Common to medium.....	2 00@2 50

A Warning.

Pain or soreness in the back must never be slighted. Kidney diseases creep on us with only that one warning. Delay is folly when by timely use of Morley's Liver and Kidney Cordial, the great system renovator, all danger can be avoided. This remedy is a positive cure for Kidney and Urinary Troubles. Sold by W. M. Bell, Joppa.

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Harness, Bridles, Collars, Blankets, Whips, and everything usually found in a first-class stock of Farm Implement-Saddlery Store.

I Have a Few Buggies and Buck-boards

for sale. I can sell you a farm wagon that will suit in every particular at bed-rock prices. Field Seed a specialty. Call on me when in town.

W. F. JEFFRIES.

Warinner's Cheap Cash STORE

Is the place to go to get Goods cheap. I have some of the best clothing for the money of any store in Columbia and I have a line of shoes that I propose

to sell cheaper than they have ever been sold for before in this little city.

My Grocery stock and other lines are complete, and too numerous to mention in this space. I want to turn

my stock over several times this season and in order to do this I will sell for a close margin. I am not talking nonsense but these are facts. I appreciate what

the people have done for me since I came to Columbia and I will prove it to you in the future if you give me your trade

I want to double my business this year and to do this I will sell at a very close margin for cash. Give me a call. Respt.

C. R. WARINNER.

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